



IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

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Examiner: **Kristen M. Derwich**

Title: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CRYPTOGRAPHICALLY PROCESSING
DATA**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Applicants hereby respectfully petition the
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to
respond to the Final Office Action (Paper No. 20050621)
dated **June 24, 2005** for a period of **one (1)** month from
September 24, 2005 to and including **October 24, 2005**.

Attached hereto is a Request for Continued
Examination (RCE) Transmittal and a Preliminary Amendment
which constitutes a complete response to the final office
action, and our check payable to the Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks in the amount of **\$ 1,310.00** (\$120.00 to cover

the cost of the extension, \$400.00 to cover the additional claims and \$790.00 to cover the RCE fee).

In the event this check is unacceptable, insufficient or is omitted, kindly charge the additional or entire cost, as appropriate, of this extension to my deposit account number 13-3083. To facilitate that charge, a duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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